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SUBJECT: OIL COMPANY COMPENSATION TALKS

1. MOBIL OIL GOVERNMENT RELATIONS OFFICIAL HAS PHONED DEPARTMENT AT BEHEST OF MOBIL SOUTH TO REGISTER COMPANY'S UNHAPPINESS AT COMPENSATION OFFER MADE BY GOZ AT MEETING WITH MOBIL REP ROGER WILLIAMS FEBRUARY 3. GOZ REPORTEDLY PROPOSED PAYMENT OF NET BOOK VALUE OVER PERIOD OF TEN YEARS, WHICH COMPANY REGARDS AS NEITHER PROMPT NOR ADEQUATE COMPENSATION.

2. MOBIL REP EXPRESSED HOPE COMPANY'S REACTION TO INITIAL GOZ POSITION COULD BE COMMUNICATED TO AMBASSADOR BEFORE MEETING WITH WILLIAMS SCHEDULED FOR FEBRUARY 4.

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3. DEPARTMENT ASSURED MOBIL THAT, AS IN PAST, EMBASSY

WOULD MAINTAIN CLOSE CONTACT WITH MOBIL REPS AND PROVIDE
ALL APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE AS NEGOTIATIONS PROCEED. KISSINGER

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